Coastal Organizations

Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission

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Executive Director: Irwin M. Alperin
Assistant Director: Elizabeth Harrington

The Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission was established by a compact entered into by the various Atlantic coastal states beginning in 1941. The Congressional Consent Act was signed by the President on May 5, 1942, and the Commission met and organized in New York on June 5, 1942.

Participating states are Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida. Each is represented by a member of their administrative agency in charge of marine fisheries, a legislative member appointed by its committee or the commission on interstate cooperation, and a person appointed by the Governor. The Commission is supported by appropriations from the member states based on the value of their respective catches.

Operates through sections composed of groups of states. The North Atlantic, Middle Atlantic, Chesapeake Bay, and South Atlantic Sections deal with matters affecting their respective areas, and the annual meeting addresses matters affecting the entire Commission. The National Marine Fisheries Service of the Dept. of Commerce is designated as the primary research agency of the Commission, cooperating with the research agencies of each state for that purpose.

Although the states determine all policy in their respective jurisdictions, the Commission provides a forum for discussion and resolution of common problems and assists the states in developing joint programs. In addition, the Commission conducts the Interstate Marine Fisheries Program under the auspices of the National Marine Fisheries Service, the goal of which is uniform management and protection of the Nation's fisheries resources and viable commercial and recreational fishing industries. The Commission is also a statutory member of the Atlantic Coast Regional Fishery Management Councils, three of the eight established by the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act of 1976.

The following are leaflets published by ASMFC:

Atlantic Menhaden, A Most Abundant Fish, revised, Dec. 1975.

The Soft-Shell Clam, A Resource With Great Potential; Oct. 1965.

Southern Shrimp, A Valuable Regional Resource; Oct. 1965.

The American Lobster; Oct. 1966.

Summer Flounder, The Middle Atlantic Flatfish; Oct. 1966.

American Shad: A Springtime Delicacy; Oct. 1966.

Striped Bass; Oct. 1966.

Haddock: Important New England Foodfish; Oct. 1968.

Atlantic Cod, Beef of the Sea; Oct. 1968.

The Oyster, A Shellfish Delicacy; Oct. 1968.

Marine Bait Worms, A Valuable Inshore Resource; June 1970.

Spotted Seatrout, A Shallow-Water Sport Fish; Reprinted, Dec. 1975.

Hard Clam, The Gourmet's Delight; Reprinted, Dec. 1975.

Silver Hake, Fish of Many Uses; Oct. 1973.

Spiny Dogfish, Fisherman's Nuisance; Oct. 1973.

The Edible Blue Crab, Abundant Crustacean; Oct. 1973.

Weakfish, Wide Ranging Species; June 1976.

33 Sailfish, Angler's Prize; Dec. 1976.

Winter Flounder, 1977.

Commissioners:

Maine

Spencer Apollonio, Dept. of Marine Resources, Augusta; Donald V. Carter, state representative, Winslow; Ronald W. Green, Rockland.

New Hampshire

Edward W. Spurr, State Fish & Game Dept., Concord; George I. Wiggins, state senator, Concord; C. Raymond Gilmore, Hampton Beach.

Massachusetts

Philip G. Coates, Div. of Marine Fisheries, Boston; vacant; Frank J. Backoff, Rockland.

Rhode Island

John M. Cronan, Dept. of Environmental Management, Wakefield; William C. O'Neil, state senator, Narragansett; Jacob J. Dykstra, Pt. Judith Fishermen's Co-Op., Narragansett.

Connecticut

Robert A. Jones, Dept. of Environmental Protection, Hartford; George L. Gunther, state senator, Stratford; James M. Spellman, Pawcatuk.

New York

Anthony S. Taormina, Dept. of Environmental Conservation, Stony Brook; vacant; William R. Pell III, Greenport.

New Jersey

Russell A. Cookingham, Div. Fish, Game and Shell Fisheries, Trenton; Barry T. Parker, state senator, Mount Holly; David H. Hart, Cape May.

Pennsylvania

Ralph W. Abele, Penn. Fish Commission, Harrisburg; Robert J. Mellow, state senator, Harrisburg; Elliot J. Goldman, Philadelphia.

Delaware

William C. Wagner II, Dept. of Natural Resources and Environmental Control, Dover; Robert F. Gilligan, state representative, Wilmington; Kent S. Price, College of Marine Studies, University of Delaware, Lewes.

Maryland

Robert J. Rubelmann, Fisheries Administration, Annapolis; R. Clayton Mitchell, Jr., state delegate; Gus Berlitz, Deale.

Virginia

James E. Douglas Jr., Marine Resources Commission, Newport News; Theodore V. Morrison, Va. House of Delegates, Hampton; Carl P. Coosdale, White Stone.

North Carolina

Edward G. McCoy, Dept. of Natural & Economic Resources, Morehead City; state legislature position vacant; Edward O'Neal, Swan Quarter.

South Carolina

Edwin B. Joseph, S.C. Marine Resources Div., Charleston; James M. Waddell, state senator, Beaufort; James A. Timmerman, Jr., Wildlife & Marine Resources Dept., Columbia.

Georgia

Robert E. Reimold, Dept. of Natural Resources, Brunswick; Howard H. Rainey, state representative, Cordele; vacant.

Florida

Elton J. Gissendanner, Dept. of Natural Resources, Tallahassee; George Crady, state representative, Yulee; L.S. Thomas, Vero Beach.

Advisory Committee Members:

Dana E. Wallace; Maine; Leigh R. Welcome, N.H.; W. Leigh Bridges, Mass.; John Stolgitis, R.I.; Eric M. Smith, Conn.; John C. Poole, N.Y.; Paul E. Hamer, N.J.; Robert B. Hesser, Penn.; Charles A. Lesser, Del; William P. Jensen, Md.; William J. Hargis, Jr., Va.; Michael W. Street, N.C.; David Cupka, S.C.; C. Duane Harris, Ga.; Don E. Duden, Fla.

Section Officers

North Atlantic

Chairman: Dana Wallace
Secretary: Edward Spurr

This section includes a Committee on Northern Shrimp: Edward Spurr, chairman.

Middle Atlantic/Chesapeake Bay

Chairman: William R. Pell, III

South Atlantic

Chairman: Edwin B. Joseph

Gulf States Marine Fisheries Commission

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Ocean Springs, Ms. 39564
Tel: (601) 875-5912

Executive Director: Charles H. Lyles
Assistant Director: Larry B. Simpson
Chairman: Dr. Elton J. Gissendanner

The Gulf States Marine Fisheries Commission was established by a compact entered into by the various Gulf Coast states in 1949.

The participating states are Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas. Each is represented by a member of their administrative agency in charge of marine fisheries, a legislative member appointed by the state legislatures and a person appointed by the governor. The Commission is supported by appropriations from the member states based on the value of their respective catches.

Although the states determine all policy in their respective jurisdictions, the Commission provides a forum for discussion and resolution of common problems and assists the states in 3-mile limits, developing joint programs. In addition, the Commission participates in the State-Federal Fisheries Management Program, whose goal is uniform management and protection of the Nation's fisheries resources and viable commercial and recreational fishing industries.

Commercial projects concern those fisheries in state waters. Fisheries beyond the states' three-mile limits are the responsibility of the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council, to which the Commission has an appointed representative.

Commissioners:

Alabama

John. M. McMillan, Jr., director, Ala. Dept. of Conservation and Natural Resources, Montgomery; State Rep. Taylor F. Harper, Grand Bay; John Ray Nelson, Bon Secour.

Florida

Dr. Elton J. Gissendanner, executive director, Fla. Dept. of Natural Resources, Tallahassee; State Rep. Joseph B. Allen, Jr., Keywest; Clyde Richbourg, American Seafood Company, Pensacola.

Louisiana

Jesse Guidry, executive secretary, La. Dept. of Wild Life and Fisheries, New Orleans; Rep. Conway LeBleu, Cameron; Leroy Kiffe, Lockport.

Mississippi

Richard K. Yancey, executive director, Ms. Dept. of Wildlife Conservation; State Rep. Ted Millette, Pascagoula; Dr. Michael Carron, U.S. Naval Oceanographic Off., Code 022, NSTL Station.

Texas

Charles D. Travis, executive director, Texas Parks & Wildlife Dept., Austin; State Rep. Leroy J. Wieting, Portland; John A. Mehos, Liberty Corp., Galveston.

Note: The order of listing is state fisheries administrator, state legislator and governor's appointee.

Standing Committees

Executive Committee

Chairman: Dr. Elton J. Gissendanner

Technical Coordinating Committee

Chairman: Dr. Ted Ford

Industry Advisory Committee

Members: Leroy Kiffe, Chairman; John Ray Nelson; Clyde Richbourg; John Mehos.

Pacific Marine Fisheries Commission

528 S.W. Mill St.
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Tel: (503) 229-5840

Chairman: Gordon Sandison
Secretary: Dr. Ronald O. Skoog, Commissioner, Alaska Department of Fish and Game
Executive Director: John P. Harville
Treasurer: Gerald L. Fisher

Primary projects include forming a data consolidation program that will collect fisheries information from member states and combine it into regional data. The data will be available to the 200-mile fishery management councils and state agencies for preparing management plans.

The Commission is also studying the feasibility of developing a foundation for underutilized species exploitation. The foundation would assist fishermen and processors.

Commissioners:

Alaska

Dr. Ronald O. Skoog, commissioner, Alaska Dept. of Fish & Game; State Rep. Richard I. Eliason, Sitka; Charles H. Meacham, Office of the Governor, Juneau.

California

Helen Zitco, San Diego; E. Charles Fullerton, director, Calif. Dept. Fish & Game, Sacramento.

Idaho

Jerry M. Conley, Director, Idaho Department Fish & Game, Boise; Keith Stonebraker, Lewiston; E. G. (Pete) Thompson,, Sandpoint.

Oregon

Dr. John R. Donaldson, director, Ore. Dept. of Fish & Game, Portland; Herbert F. Lundy, Portland; Don Barth, President, Newport.

Washington

Rolland Schmitten, Director, Washington Dept. of Fisheries, Olympia; State Rep. John Martinis, Everett; Robert D. Alverson, Seattle.

Advisory Committee

Alaska

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California

John P. Gilchrist, Scaramento; Anthony V. Nizetich, Terminal Island; Herbert R. Kameon, Santa Monica; Frank Mason, San Diego; Roger Thomas, San Jose; Dr. Elizabeth Venrick, LaJolla; L.R. Budd Thomas, Fields Landing.

Idaho

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Oregon

Theodore T. Bugas, Astoria; Don Christenson, Newport; Charles S. Collins, Roseburg; Bob Hudson, Charleston; Phillip W. Schneider, Portland; Joe Easley, Astoria; John Marincovich, Astoria.

Washington

Paul Anderson, Seattle; Guy McMinds, Taholah; Earl E. Engman, Tacoma; Mrs. Kent Martin, Skamokawa; Rudy Peterson, Seattle; Ted Smits, Seattle.

Standing Committees

Groundfish Committee
Salmon-Steelhead Committee
Dungeness Crab Committee

Directory of Associations

The following lists of organizations are national in membership with the exception of the "Trade Associations" listing which includes regional and local chapters. Other organizations that are state or regional in scope (i.e. Gulf Coast) can be found in their corresponding sections.

Aquaculturists

American Fish Farmers Federation

c/o Jim Malone
P.O. Box 158
Lonoke, AR 72086

Tel: (501) 676-6554

Arkansas Fish Farmers Assn., Inc.

P.O. Box 193
Hunter, AR 72074

Tel: (501) 459-2159

Charles W. Files
President

Catfish Farmers of America

P.O. Box 34
Jackson, MS 39205

Tel: (601) 948-5938

Maine Aquaculture Assn.

P.O. Box 3256
Damariscotta, ME 04543

Tel: (207) 633-4268

Jon S. Smith
President
Secretary/Treasurer: Richard Clime

Pacific Coast Oyster Growers Assn.

270 South Hanford St.
Seattle, WA 98134

Tel: (206) 625-1481

World Mariculture Society

Louisiana State University
174 Pleasant Hall, CED
Baton Rouge, LA 70803

Carl Sinderman
President
Publishes the proceedings of the Mariculture Society and quarterly newsletter.

Boatbuilders

American Boat Builders and Repairers Assn., Inc.

715 Boylston St.
Boston, MA 02116

Tel: (617) 266-6800

Richard Guild
Executive Vice President
Publication: Newsletter to 150 members. Association of boatyards and marinas along the Atlantic Coast, organized to improve boating and the boating field.

Commercial Fishermen & Seafood Processors

All Coast Fishermen's Marketing Assn.

P.O. Box 5382
Charleston, OR 97420

Tel: (503) 888-5215

Tom Shafer
President

American Catfish Marketing Assn.

P.O. Box 1609
Jackson, MS 39205

Tel: (601) 948-5938

James Smith
Acting Executive Secretary

American Fisheries Society

5410 Grosvenor Lane
Bethesda, MD 20014

Tel: (301) 897-8616

Carl Sullivan
Executive Director
Membership of 8,200. An international organization of fisheries and aquatic sciences; professional, lay and student members. Concerned with the advancement of fisheries science and the conservation of renewable aquatic resources.

American Seafood Distributors Assn.

1101 Connecticut Ave., N.W.
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 857-1110

Lee Weddig
Executive Secretary

American Shrimp Canners and Processors Assn.

P.O. Box 50774
New Orleans, LA 70150

Tel: (504) 368-1571

Richard Cuccia
President
William Chauvin, executive director; publish Membership Notes.

American Tuna Sales Assn.

2040 Harbor Island Dr., Suite 201
San Diego, CA 92101

Tel: (714) 291-1573

S.V. Irvine
Executive Director

American Tunaboat Assn.

1 Tuna Lane
San Diego, CA 92101

Tel: (714) 233-6405

Cable: TUNASSN

August Felando
President
Membership of 190 vessels.

A non-profit fishery cooperative corporation formed without shares of stock under the provisions of the fish marketing act of the state of California. Membership includes persons who own and manage approximately 90 commercial fishing vessels, documented under the laws of the U.S. Such vessels, commonly known as tuna purse seiners, utilize purse seine gear to fish for tuna and tuna-like fish.

Assn. of Smoked Fish Processors

Quincy Research Park
5 Hayward St.
Quincy, MA 02171

Tel: (617) 328-7600

Dr. George Bierman
Technical Director
Members: A trade association representing major smoked fish processors. Provides technical consultation and services. Services include regulatory liaison, sanitation audits, quality control testing and process engineering.

Atlantic Seafood Industries Shrimp Assn.

P.O. Box 1117
Fernandina Beach, FL 32034

Tel: (904) 261-3511

Melvin Dougherty
President
Membership: 60-100 members from the Carolinas to Texas, with dues of $10/yr.
Aims to promote the shrimp industry and represents shrimp fishermen on legislative matters. Sponsors the Shrimp Boat Races.

Canned Salmon Institute

300 Elliott Ave. West #270
Seattle, WA 98119

Tel: (206) 284-8383

R.E. Silver
Executive Director
Membership of 15 companies with dues based on a production assessment of the previous year; $.15 per case on a 48 lb. basis.
A non-profit organization of Columbia River, Puget Sound and Alaska Salmon Packers.

Food Processing Machinery and Suppliers Assn.

1828 L St., N.W., Suite 700
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 833-1790

Daniel A. White
Chairman
For firms which provide machinery, supplies and services to the food processing industry. Publishes two monthly newsletters and the Food Processors Guide and an International Directory.

Gulf and Caribbean Fisheries Institute

4600 Rickenbacker Causeway
Miami, FL 33149

Tel: (305) 350-7533

James B. Higman
Executive Director

National Blue Crab Industry Assn.

Div. of Shellfish Institute of North America
400 North Capital St., Suite 323
Washington, DC 20001

Tel: (202) 783-2803

Stan Waskiewicz
President
Structured to represent the blue crab and other crab species industry.

National Canners Assn.

See: National Food Processors Assn.

National Federation of Fishermen

2424 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, DC 20037

Tel: (202) 554-3272 or 293-2393

Represents commercial fishermen on legislative and administrative matters concerning the development of fisheries. 30 member organizations. Executive director: Lucy Sloane; legal counsel: Dick Sharood; administrator: Melody B. Barlow.
Cambridge office: 38 Green St., Cambridge, MA 02129, Tel: (617) 834-4387; Eastern Region: Point Judith Fishermen's Co-op, P.O. Box 730, Point Judith, RI, Tel: (401) 783-3368, Jacob Dykstra, president; Western Region: Pacific Coast Federation of Fishermen Assn., P.O. Box 1626, Sausalito, CA 94965.

National Fisheries Institute (NFI)

1101 Connecticut Ave., N.W.
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 857-1110

Lee Weddig
President
Represents businessmen and firms which process and distribute seafood products for the American consumer. Provides industry leadership on a national and international basis. 900 members. Publication: NFI Blue Book.

National Food Processors Association

Washington headquarters and Eastern laboratory
1133 20th St., N.W.
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 857-0890

Charles J. Carey
President
Provides seafood inspection services for the Northwest seafood industry and provides technical support for processor members. Conducts research programs in seafood processing, chemistry, microbiology and energy conservation. Carries out an active government relations program, representing industry in legislative affairs and through liaison with federal regulatory agencies. Public communications efforts are aimed at conveying industry positions on issues affecting processing operations. Conducts consumer claims program for members. Provides various insurance programs for members including products liability, products recall, personal accident and travel, long term disability income, term life and marine and air cargo coverage. Annual convention features conferences and general sessions of interest to all food processors. In addition, they conduct an annual "Executives Conference" and programs at which research findings are presented. Publications: Fisheries Bulletin; newsletters and technical bulletins; a weekly "Information Letter" (members only).

National Fish Meal & Oil Assn.

1101 Connecticut Ave., N.W.
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 857-1134

Lee Weddig
Executive Director

National Food Brokers Association

The NFBA Building
1916 M Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 331-9120

Bill Shaw, vice president

National Shrimp Breeders Assn.

c/o Arnall, Golden & Gregory
1000 Fulton Federal Bldg.
11 Pryor St.
Atlanta, GA 30303

Tel: (404) 577-5100

Jonathan Golden
Executive Secretary

National Shrimp Congress, Inc.

1320 19th St., N.W., Suite 400
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 785-2130

William N. Utz
Executive Director

Pacific Tuna Development Foundation

P.O. Box 2359
Honolulu, HI 96804

Tel: (808) 548-4348

Encourages, promotes and supports the discovery, conservation, management, development and harvest of the tuna resources and other latent fishery resources of the Central, South and Western Pacific areas through programs of education, research, exploration and development.

See: Tuna Research Foundation, Inc.

Seafarers International Union

Fisheries Division
63 Rogers St.
Gloucester, MA 01930

Tel: (617) 283-1167

Michael Orlando
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Shellfish Institute of North America

400 N. Capitol St.
Suite 323
Washington, DC 20001

Tel: (202) 783-2800

Josh Lanier
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Represents the producers, processors, distributors, and suppliers of oysters, clams, and blue crabs, as well as segments of the shellfish industry, such as abalone, geoduck, and scallops. Provides national leadership and guidance on the issues facing the shellfish industry. Publishes *Shellfish Soundings*. Dues are based on a gross sales volume for active and associate members. 400 members.

Tuna Research Foundation, Inc.

1101 17th St., N.W., Suite 603
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 296-4630

John P. Mulligan
President
Membership: 4 regular members, 2 associate members as follows: Regular: Bumble Bee Seafoods, a division of Castle & Cooke, Inc.; Neptune Packing Corp., a subsidiary of Mitsui and Co., (U.S.A.), Inc.; Star-Kist Foods Inc., a subsidiary of H.J. Heinz Co.; Van Camp Sea Food, a division of Ralston Purina Co. Associate members: Pan Pacific Fisheries/CHB; Sun Harbor Industries.
Dues: $120/yr.
Promotes the fish canning industry; conducts studies of developments and methods of processing and marketing. Responsible for forming the Pacific Tuna Development Foundation and now serves as the foundation's board of directors.

United States Tuna Foundation

2040 Harbour Island Drive, Suite 208
San Diego, Ca. 92101

Tel: (714) 298-4697

Second Address: 2033 M St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, Tel: (202) 857-0610.
Concerned with matters of interest and importance to the tuna industry, and other domestic fishery activities as well as national fisheries policies.

Environmentalists

American Shore and Beach Preservation Assn.

412 O'Brien Hall
University of California
Berkeley, CA 94720

Professor M.P. O'Brien
President

Audubon Society

1511 K St., N.W.
Suite 926
Washington, DC 20005

Friends of the Earth

530 7th St., S.E.
Washington, DC 20003

Tel: (202) 543-4313

Committed to the preservation, restoration and rational use of the ecosphere.
San Francisco address: 124 Spear St., San Francisco, Ca. 94105

International Assn. of Fish and Wildlife Agencies

1412 16th Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 232-1652

Jack H. Berryman
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The International Atlantic Salmon Foundation

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St. Andrews, N.B. EOG 2XO
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Tel: (506) 529-3818

Wilfred M. Carter
Executive Director
A non-profit research and educational organization dedicated to the conservation and management of the Atlantic salmon and its environment. Directs and supports programs in areas of education, public information, research and international cooperation. Membership: 1,500; Publications: IASF Newsletter, Special Publications Series.

National Coalition for Marine Conservation, Inc.

P.O. Box 23298
Savannah, GA 31403

Tel: (912) 234-8062

Christopher M. Weld

Executive Director
Devoted to the preservation of the ocean environment and to the legislative concerns of the marine angler. Promotes the restoration and conservation of fish stocks and the protection of the marine environment through the establishment of national legislation. Publication: Right Rigger. Frank E. Carlton, president.

National Water Resources Assn.

955 L'Enfant Plaza N., S.W.
Suite 1202
Washington, DC 20024

Tel: (202) 488-0610

J.W. O'Meara
Executive Vice President
Promotes development, conservation and management of the water resources of 18 state associations, including cities, countries, conservation districts, and individual members.

National Wildlife Federation

1412 16th Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20036

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Thomas L. Kimball
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A non-profit conservation education organization concerned with arousing public awareness of the need for wise use, proper management and conservation of natural resources.

The Nature Conservancy

1800 N. Kent St., Suite 800
Arlington, VA 22209

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Frank Boren
Chairman of the Board
A non-profit membership organization dedicated to the preservation of natural areas for present and future generations; cooperates with colleges, universities, public and private conservation organizations to acquire lands for scientific and educational purposes. Membership: 26,000.

The Sierra Club

330 Pennsylvania Ave., S.E.
Washington, DC 20005

Tel: (202) 547-1141

Labor Organizations

National Maritime Union of America

346 W. 17th St.
New York, NY 10011

Tel: (212) 620-5700

Seafarers International Union

675 Fourth Ave.
Brooklyn, NY 11232

Tel: (212) 499-6600

Frank Orocak
President
Publication: Seafarer's Log

United Food and Commercial Workers Union

Union Local #56, AFL-CIO
315 Cooper St.
Camden, NJ 08102

Tel: (609) 964-7242

Leo Cinaglia
President

United Food & Commercial Workers

Local P-554
926 Duane
Astoria, OR 97103

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Marina Operators

American Bureau of Shipping

65 Broad St.
New York, NY 10006

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Includes some 410 individuals,such as shipowners, shipbuilders, naval architects, marine engineers, marine underwriters, government representatives, and other persons in the marine field. Establishes and administers standards for the design, construction and periodic survey of ships and marine structures.

Marine Equipment Manufacturers & Professionals

The Aluminum Association, Inc.

818 Connecticut Ave.
Washington, DC 20006

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Publication: Aluminum and the Environment.

American Canvas Institute

10 Beech St.
Berea, OH 44017

Tel: (216) 243-0121

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American Casting Assn.

2341 5th Ave.
San Rafael, CA 94901

Tel: (415) 454-1203

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American Netting Manufacturers Organization

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1620 Eye St., N.W.
Washington, DC 20006

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Copper Development Assn.

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Birmingham, MI 48011

Tel: (313) 642-6980

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Food Processing Machinery & Supplies Assn.

1828 L St., N.W., Suite 700
Washington, DC 20036

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Chairman
Membership: 470 member firms; food processing & allied industries. Geographic Area: International. Publications: Food Processor's Guide, Trade Opportunities, Executive Update and International Directory.

Industrial Fabrics Assn. International

350 Endicott Bldg.
St. Paul, MN 55101

Tel: (612) 222-2508

Chairman: Paul E. Schaefer
(Apache Awning Co.)
Marine Division Director: Bob Daniels
Membership: 1450 member firms; manufacturers of marine tops, curtains, covers and accessories and their suppliers.
Geographic Area: International

NMMA — Marex

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Membership: 350 firms; manufacturers of power sailboats, engines, raw materials and marine accessories. Associate and affiliate members include distributors, boating magazines, and regional marine trade organizations. Purpose: supports boating safety through education and standards; a source for public information and boating statistics.

Publications: A Brief Introduction to Marine Radiotelephones, American Boating 1973, Boating Film Directory, 1977 Boating Means Business Advertising Clip Book Boating Registration Statistics, 1976, Boating Statistics, 1976, Buyer's Guide to Marine Products, Federal Marine Sanitation Device Regulations, Intercom, International Boat Shows 1977-78, NAFBM-Boating Speakers Bureau, NAEMB - Westlawn School of Yacht Design, The Skipper's Course, Recreation in a Marine Environment, Sailing Is Fun.

Also sponsors the New York National Boat Show and the International In-Water Boat Show.

National Assn. of Marine Surveyors

86 Windsor Gate Dr.
North Hill, NY 11040

Tel: (212) 895-3677

Howard I. Saffur
National Secretary
Membership: Over 350 marine surveyors. Publication: Newsletter. Geographic Area: Nationwide.

National Marine Electronics Association, Inc.

938 Main St.
Chatham, MA 02063

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Charles R. Weidman
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Dedicated to the education and advancement of the marine electronics industry and the market which it serves. Composed of manufacturers, distributors, dealers, educational institutions and related marine electronics occupations. Publication: NMEA News.

Pacific Seafood Processors Assn.

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Radio Technical Commission for Marine Services

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Robert E. Mickley
Executive Secretary
A non-profit, government-industry-user organiza-

tion serving the FCC in an advisory role, with respect to Maritime telecommunications.

The Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers

1 World Trade Center, Suite 1369
New York, NY 10048

Tel: (212) 432-0310

A technical society whose concern is the design, construction, and operation of marine vessels; publishes technical information.

U.S. Cordage Institute

1625 Massachusetts Ave., N.W.
Suite 505
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 234-1161

Robert J. Keefe
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Membership of 30 cordage manufacturers nationwide.

Marine Law Enforcers

National Assn. of State Boating Law Administrators

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Albany, NY 12238

Tel: (518) 474-0446

Bill Delaney
Director of Marine and Recreational Vehicles
Dedicated to improving boating safety and law enforcement in the respective states and territories (P.R. and V.I.).

National Marine Safety

American Boat & Yacht Council, Inc.

15 East 26th St.
New York, NY 10010

Dedicated to the development and publication of safety standards for boats and related equipment.
Publication: Safety Standards for Small Craft.

American Power Boat Assn.

17640 East 9 Mile Rd., P.O. Box 377
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Boat Owners Assn. of the U.S.

880 S. Pickett St.
Alexandria, VA 22304

Tel: (703) 823-9550

Provides members over 20 services, including saving on marine insurance, equipment and accessories, boat financing and books, representation on issues, consumer protection and other time-saving services. Source for charts, navigational publications and government publications related to boating.

National Boating Safety Advisory Council

U.S. Coast Guard (G-BA)
Washington, DC 20590

Consults with and advises the Coast Guard regarding matters involving boat safety. Assists in formulating and prescribing regulations and standards for boat safety required under the Federal Boat Safety Act.

The National Fire Protection Assn. Marine Field Service

Battery March Park
Quincy, MA 02269

Tel: (617) 482-8755

Responsible for all NFPA fire protection standards within the maritime community. Maintains regular contact with industry and government regulatory agencies to exchange information on new developments in the field of fire protection; acts as a focal point for obtaining technical information on marine fire safety.

National Safe Boat Council, Inc.

Chief Office of Boating Safety
Coast Guard Headquarters
Washington, DC 20593

Incorporated to expand the boating safety drive and coordinate efforts of organizations involved with safety programs, including National Safe Boating Week.

National Safety Council

444 No. Michigan Ave.
Chicago, IL 60611

Tel: (312) 527-4800

Gathers information and statistics on accidents; analyzes and distributes safety information and works with other boat-oriented organizations involved with National Safe Boating Week.

Oceanographers

American Oceanic Organization

1815 N. Ft. Meyer Dr.
Arlington, VA 22209

International Oceanographic Foundation

3979 Rickenbacker Causeway
Virginia Key
Miami, FL 33149

Tel: (305) 361-5786

Publications: Sea Frontiers; Sea Secrets. For the advancement of marine science research and knowledge of the ocean.

The Oceanic Society

Mid-Atlantic Region
P.O. Box 13357
Philadelphia, PA 19101

Tel: (415) 441-1104

Dedicated to the conservation of the marine environment and ocean ecosystems. Publications: Making Waves, Oceans.

Researchers

American Fisheries Society

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Promotes the conservation, development and wise utilization of fisheries, both recreational and commercial.
Publications: Transactions of American Fisheries Society; Fisheries.

American Fishermen's Research Foundation

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Promotes effective coastal and ocean management. Est. 1976.

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International Game Fish Assn.

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Sport Fishery Research Foundation

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Sport Fishing Institute

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Trout Unlimited

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Vienna, VA 22180

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Preserves clear waters and perpetuates and improves high-quality fishing by supporting and encouraging laws, regulations, research programs, and voluntary actions for proper management of water and trout populations.

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4600 Rickenbacker Causeway
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